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FOR RICHARDSON AND NEA

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PORG, PLOS,CE

SUBJECT: LOS: DEPARTURE OF CHAIRMAN AMERASINGHE

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- 1. IT APPEARS OUR DEMARCHES HERE HAVE NOT SAVED AMERASINGHE'S NECK AS PERMREP SINCE HIS TERM IS REPORTEDLY ENDING THIS JANUARY.
- 2. THROUGH A NUMBER OF CHANNELS I HAVE MADE CLEAR OUR HOPE THAT EVEN IF HE IS NO LONGER PERMREP (WHICH IS NONE OF OUR BUSINESS), HE NEVERTHELESS CAN CONTINUE AS CHAIRMAN OF LOS. AND NOISES IN THE WOODWORK SUGGEST GSL WOULD WELCOME SOME DEVICE FOR INSERTING HIM IN UN STRUCTURE FOR THIS ROLE EVEN THOUGH PERSONAL AND POLITICAL DIFFERENCES PREVENT HIM FROM CONTINUING AS PERMREP.
- 3. BALL IS THEREFORE IN YOUR AND ALDHEIM'S COURT AND I BELIEVE SUCCESSFUL EFORTS IN THIS DIRECTION WOULD BE WELCOMED BY GSL.
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4. HAVE ASKED NO QUESTIONS AND HAVE NO INFORMATION REGARDING PINTO'S FUTURE ROLE. REGARDS. WRIGGINS

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